



**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**AMENDMENT**  
**House Bill 717**

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Principal Clerk)

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1  
2 and on page 12, line 14, by rewriting that line to read:

- 3           "h. District 11 – one judge, Harnett or Lee County.  
4           i. District 11 – one judge, Johnston County.";  
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6 and on page 12, lines 21-22, by rewriting those lines to read:

- 7           "o. District 30B – one judge.  
8           p. District 30D – one judge.";  
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10 and on page 12, lines 7-26, by relettering the sub-subdivisions appropriately;  
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12 and on page 12, line 29, by rewriting that line to read:

- 13           "a. District 4 – one judge; Onslow County.";  
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15 and on page 12, line 32, by rewriting that line to read:

- 16           "c. District 11 – one judge, Johnston.";  
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18 and on page 12, line 36, by rewriting that line to read:

- 19           "g. District 22E – one judge.";  
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21 and on page 12, line 40, by rewriting that line to read:

- 22           "k. District 26B – two judges.";  
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24 and on page 12, line 42, by rewriting that line to read:

- 25           "m. District 30C – one judge.";  
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27 and on page 12, line 44, by rewriting that line to read:

- 28           "o. District 35 – one judge, Burke or Caldwell County.  
29           p. District 35 – one judge, Catawba County.";  
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31 and on page 12, line 47, by rewriting that line to read:

- 32           "q. District 41 – one judge, Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Macon, or Swain  
33           County."  
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35 and on page 12, lines 29-47, by relettering the sub-subdivisions appropriately;  
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38 and on page 13, line 5, by rewriting that line to read:

- 39           "g. District 13 – one judge, Bladen or Columbus County.";  
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41 and on page 13, line 11, by rewriting that line to read:

- 42           "m. District 30A – one judge.";  
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"(7) In filling any vacancy in accordance with Article IV, Sec. 19 of the North Carolina Constitution, the vacancy shall be filled, and any election shall be conducted in accordance with the districts as set forth in this section. If a vacancy is created in a set of districts with an insufficient number of judges allocated to that set of districts to allow all elected judges, as of October 1, 2017, to continue to serve out the elected term and fill the vacancy, the vacancy shall not be filled.";

$$\frac{{}^{18}\text{A}}{{}^{18}\text{B}} = \frac{3}{4};$$

"c. District 4 – two judges, Onslow County.  
d. District 4 – one judge, Duplin, Jones, or Sampson County.";

"j. District 10BD – one judge.";

"m. District 11 – two judges, Harnett or Lee County.  
n. District 11 – two judges, Johnston County.";

"o. District 12B – two judges.";

"q. District 13 – one judge, Brunswick County.  
r. District 13 – one judge, Columbus County.  
s. District 13 – one judge.";

"Z. District 22A – one judge.  
aa. District 22C – one judge.  
bb. District 23 –three judges."

and on page 24, lines 6-7, by rewriting those lines to read:

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1                   "ee.   District 26A –three judges.  
2                   ff.    District 26B – six judges.";  
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4   and on page 24, lines 11-14, by rewriting those lines to read:  
5                   "jj.    District 30A – two judges.  
6                   kk.    District 30D – two judges.";  
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8   and on page 24, line 16, by rewriting that line to read:  
9                   "oo.    District 32 – two judges, Iredell County.";  
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11   and on page 24, line 19, by rewriting that line to read:  
12                  "rr.    District 35 – one judge, Burke or Caldwell County.  
13                  ss.    District 35 – six judges.";  
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15   and on page 24, line 20, by rewriting that line to read:  
16                  "ss.    District 36 – one judge, Alleghany or Ashe County.  
17                  tt.    District 36 –three judges, Wilkes County.";  
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19   and on page 24, line 23-24, by rewriting those lines to read:  
20                  "vv.    District 39A – two judges.  
21                  ww.    District 39B – three judges.";  
22   and on page 23, line 28, through page 24, line 26, by relettering the sub-subdivisions  
23   appropriately;  
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27   and on page 24, line 32, by rewriting that line to read:  
28                  "d.     District 4 – three judges, Onslow County.  
29                  e.     District 4 – three judges, Duplin, Jones, or Sampson County.";  
30  
31   and on page 24, line 37, by rewriting that line to read:  
32                  "j.     District 9 – six judges.";  
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34   and on page 24, line 39, by rewriting that line to read:  
35                  "l.     District 10BD – five judges.";  
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37   and on page 24, line 42, by rewriting that line to read:  
38                  "o.     District 11 – three judges, Harnett or Lee County.  
39                  p.     District 11 – five judges, Johnston County.";  
40  
41   and on page 24, line 44-45, by rewriting those lines to read:  
42                  "q.     District 12B – one judge.  
43                  r.     District 12C – three judges.";

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and on page 24, line 46, by rewriting that line to read:

s.     District 13 – one judge, Bladen County.  
t.     District 13 – two judges, Brunswick County.  
u.     District 13 – one judge, Columbus County.";

and on page 25, line 4, by rewriting that line to read:

cc.    District 22A – two judges.";

and on page 25, lines 8-9, by rewriting that line to read:

gg.    District 22E – three judges.  
hh.    District 23 – three judges.";

and on page 25, lines 12-13, by rewriting that line to read:

kk.    District 26A – nine judges.  
ll.    District 26B – three judges.";

and on page 25, lines 15-18, by rewriting that line to read:

nn.    District 30A – one judge.  
oo.    District 30B – three judges.  
pp.    District 30C – three judges.  
qq.    District 30D – one judge.";

and on page 25, line 20, by rewriting that line to read:

ss.    District 32 – two judges, Alexander County.  
tt.    District 32 – two judges, Iredell County.";

and on page 25, line 23, by rewriting that line to read:

vv.    District 35 – one judge, Burke or Caldwell County.  
ww.    District 35 – two judges.";

and on page 25, line 24, by rewriting that line to read:

ww.    District 36 – one judge, Yadkin County."

and on page 25, lines 27-28, by rewriting that line to read:

zz.    District 39A – two judges.";

and on page 24, line 29, through page 25, line 30, by relettering the sub-subdivisions appropriately;

and on page 28, line 23 by inserting "be" between "shall" and "held" on that line;

and on page 28, lines 35 and 37, by deleting "District 19" and substituting "District 18";

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- 2 and on page 28, line 39, by inserting "added to" between "is" and "District" on that line;
- 3
- 4 and on page 28, line 44, by deleting "Effective January 1, 2021," and substituting "Effective
- 5 January 1, 2019,";
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- 7 and on page 30, line 8, by deleting "Court" and substituting "Courts".

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
Amendment Sponsor

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_  
Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_\_ FAILED \_\_\_\_\_ TABLED \_\_\_\_\_